



HICKORY

City Snippets

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October 7 - 9, 2016

Check out www.HickoryOktoberfest.com
for event hours and more details for each day.

Hickory Downtown Development Association organizes Hickory's Oktoberfest each year, which is a three-day, outdoor festival on the second weekend in October. Oktoberfest features three stages of non-stop live entertainment, ranging from traditional polka to rock & roll, two beer gardens, amusement rides and carnival games, a juried arts and crafts show, and hundreds of food and commercial vendors.

October 14th

Lunch 12:00pm
Tee Time 1:30pm



ROCK BARN GOLF & SPA, CONOVER

Hickory Fire Department will host its 6th Annual Charity Golf Tournament on Friday, October 14, at Rock Barn Golf & Spa. All proceeds from the event will benefit the Bikes for Tykes program. The tournament will kick-off on Friday, October 14, at Rock Barn Golf & Spa with lunch at noon and tee off at 1:30 p.m. Following the tournament, an awards and recognition ceremony will be held.

The "Bikes for Tykes" program is an effort to benefit needy children served by the Catawba County Christmas Bureau. Bikes and toys are distributed through the Catawba County Christmas Bureau in December.

Anyone wishing to volunteer, play or sponsor a hole, should contact David Mills at (828) 404-2474 or dmills@hickorync.gov.

FUNDING AVAILABLE TO LOW-INCOME FAMILIES WITH URGENT HOME REPAIR NEEDS

The City of Hickory currently has funding available to assist qualified, low-income, families with urgently needed repairs to their home through the Housing Rehabilitation Assistance Urgent Repair Program.

Assistance up to \$7,200 can be made available to qualified homeowners to alleviate housing conditions posing an imminent threat to the life or safety of the home owner, or to provide accessibility modifications and other repairs necessary to prevent displacement of low-income homeowners with special needs.

In order to qualify, total family income must not exceed the following limits, based on family size:

1 person - \$12,100	3 person - \$15,550	5 person - \$18,650	7 person - \$21,450
2 person - \$13,800	4 person - \$17,300	6 person - \$20,050	8 person - \$22,800

Qualified applicants must also either be age 62 or older; handicapped or disabled; be a single parent with at least one dependent child in residence; be a family of five or more; or have a child age six or younger with an elevated blood lead level. The house must be located within the City limits of Hickory.

Please contact the City of Hickory Community Development Department, at (828) 323-7414 for more information. This program is sponsored by the City of Hickory, with funds provided by the North Carolina Housing Trust Fund.

HICKORY CITY COUNCIL

October 4 & 18 7 p.m.

Julian G. Whitener
Municipal Building (City Hall)

Go to www.HickoryNC.gov, under
City Council to review
agendas and minutes and to view
the most recent meeting.

OKTOBERFEST

Downtown Hickory

October 7, 5 p.m. - 11 p.m.

October 8, 10 a.m. - 11 p.m.

October 9, Noon - 5 p.m.

www.HickoryOktoberfest.com

OKTOBERFEST 5K & FUN RUN

October 8

8:30 a.m.

www.RacingToes.com

Start at City Hall, Main Avenue NW,
& North Center Street

LENOIR-RHYNE UNIVERSITY HOMECOMING WEEKEND

October 7 - 9

Lenoir Rhyne University

www.Alumni.LR.edu

FIRE PREVENTION WEEK

October 9 - 15

CHARITY GOLF TOURNAMENT

October 14

Lunch - Noon

Tee time - 1:30 p.m.

Rock Barn Golf & Spa

HICKORY ANTIQUES FAIR

October 13 - 15

Moretz Mills

www.ServiceLeagueHickory.org

THE BIG SPLASH

October 14 - 15

Wittenburg Access on Lake Hickory

Hickory Regional Airport

www.LakeHickoryAdventures.com

SUSAN G. KOMEN

RACE FOR THE CURE

October 15

8:30 a.m. - timed 5K

TBD - 1 mile fun run

L.P. Frans Stadium

www.KomenNorthWestNC.org

DOWNTOWN HICKORY

CANDY CRAWL

October 28

4 p.m. - 6 p.m.

Presented by: Hickory Downtown

Development Association

www.DowntownHickory.com



The Big Splash



Come see The Big Splash – Seaplanes on Lake Hickory! Join the fun, October 14 and 15, and watch seaplanes take off and land on Lake Hickory. Get a close look at the planes, meet the pilots, explore a world-class aviation museum, watch the planes fly over downtown Hickory and ride the Lake Hickory Adventures dinner yacht. Food and festivities will be available at the Wittenburg Access Area on Lake Hickory and at the Hickory Regional Airport. Food purchases and cruise ticket sales will raise money for a local Boy Scout troop and a local veterans aid organization, VetKids.org. Learn more and sign up for event updates at www.LakeHickoryAdventures.com/

Hickory Antiques Fair

Service League of Hickory, NC, Inc. proudly announces the return of the Hickory Antiques Fair! Enjoy shopping for antiques October 13 - 15 at Moretz Mills, located at 74 8th Street SE. Browse through antique selections including fine silver, oriental rugs, glassware, jewelry, books, dolls, linens, toys, paintings and furniture. Admission is \$7 in advance or \$10 at the door. All money raised will enable the League to continue their mission of charity, public service, and education and will be used to support programs in the community.



Lowes FOODS Christmas Parade & Tree Lighting

Friday, November 18 at 6 p.m.

It's hard to believe that Christmas is just around the corner! Once again, the annual Christmas parade will be immediately followed by the tree lighting in Downtown Hickory, to kick off the holiday season! Parade entry forms will be available by September 5 at www.HickoryNC.gov or can be picked up at the Parks and Recreation administrative offices at the Highland Recreation Center. Parade entries must be submitted by November 4 and will be limited to the first 70 entries.

For questions or additional information, please contact Lauren Townson, Recreation Programmer at (828) 324-1200 or ltownson@hickorync.gov.

